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The Sisters' Bond lasts forever...
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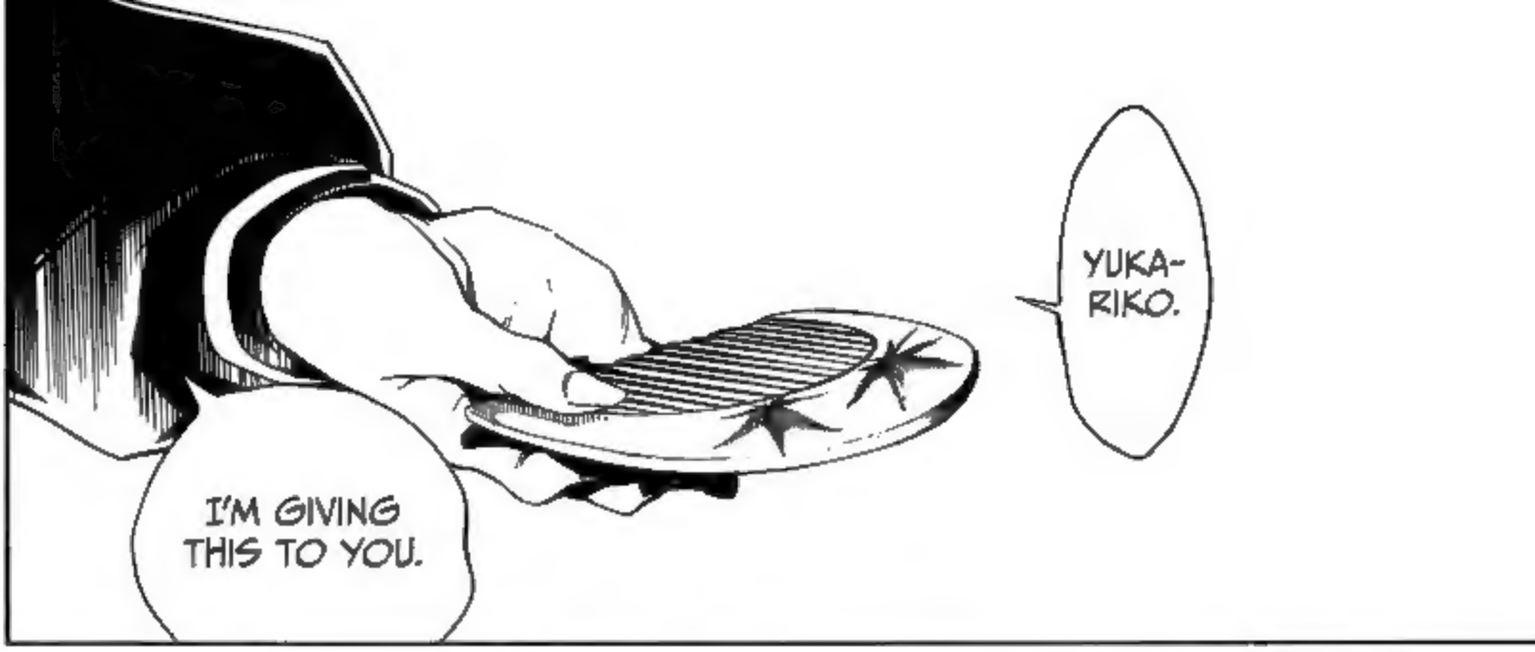
The raging epidemic continues to plague the village...
IT WASN'T LONG BEFORE MOTHER PASSED AWAY.
SHE HAD ALWAYS BEEN QUITE SICKLY
AND THE SICK
WERE THE FIRST TO BE AFFECTED BY THE EPIDEMIC.

IT'S THE CURSE!
THAT FAMILY'S CURSED!!
THE POOR THING... THE FATHER DID NOTHING AT ALL FOR THEM.
THEY GOT WHAT THEY DESERVED.
THIS HAPPENED TO THEM BECAUSE THEY STOPPED DOING THEIR JOB!
SERVES YOU RIGHT!


YUKA-RIKO.
I'M GIVING THIS TO YOU.

IT WAS MOTHER'S...
WHEN WE WERE YOUNG, I ASKED MOTHER FOR IT UNTIL SHE GAVE IT TO ME.

TAKE GOOD CARE OF IT...
...
HOW...

A COMB ...?

HOW...
CAN YOU STILL BE SO CALM?
IT HURTS...
I'M ALSO SAD THAT MOTHER HAS PASSED AWAY.
OF COURSE
.....
THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT!

I'M SURE YOU HEARD
WHAT THE OTHER VILLAGERS WERE SAYING AS WELL...!
THEY WERE SAYING THAT BOTH THE PLAGUE AND MOTHER'S WERE BECAUSE OF THE CURSE!
THAT EVERYTHING HAPPENED BECAUSE OUR FAMILY DIDN'T PROPERLY DEAL WITH THE CURSE!!
AGAIN WITH THAT TALK...
THOSE ARE JUST BASELESS RUMORS.
FORGET ABOUT THEM.

THE RUMOR ABOUT THE CURSE IS NOT BASELESS AT ALL!
FATHER TOLD ME EVERY-THING.
IT'S ALL PART OF A TRUE STORY THAT'S PASSED DOWN IN THIS AREA!

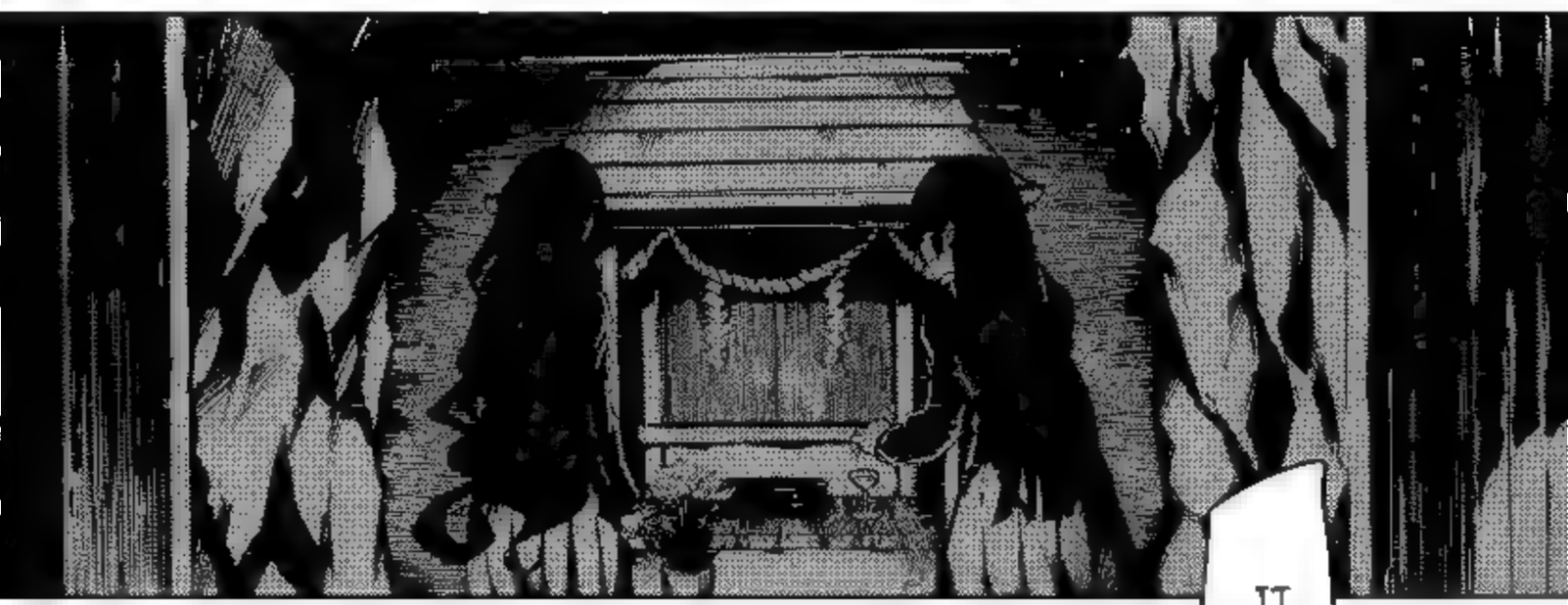
YES...
I BELIEVE IT WAS A SHRINE BUILT TO WORSHIP THE MOUNTAIN GODS.
BECAUSE THERE USED TO BE A MINE IN THIS AREA...
THE GOD THAT SHRINE WAS BUILT TO WORSHIP
WAS A GOD THAT WOULD CURSE PEOPLE.
THE KANOE FAMILY HAD BEEN LOOKING AFTER A SHRINE FOR GENERATIONS. HOWEVER, THAT SHRINE NO LONGER EXISTS.
YOU ARE AWARE OF THAT, ARE YOU NOT?

TO "AKAHITO -SAMA", THE GOD'S MESSENGER
THERE WAS ONLY ONE WAY TO PREVENT THE GOD FROM CURSING PEOPLE,
AND THAT WAS TO OFFER ONE'S MOST PRECIOUS THING
...
MOST... PRECIOUS THING...?
THAT'S RIGHT.
THAT WOULD BE A HUMAN LIFE.
!!
THE GOD FOUND PLEASURE IN VIOLATING THAT WHICH NO OTHER COULD VIOLATE.

NOW SISTER,
WHAT DO YOU THINK
OUR ROLE IS SUPPOSED TO BE?

THAT CAN'T BE...

AND THAT SHRINE IS LONG GON...
NOBODY REALLY BELIEVES IN GODS NOWA-DAYS ANYWAY!
THAT'S JUST AN OLD STORY, ISN'T IT!?



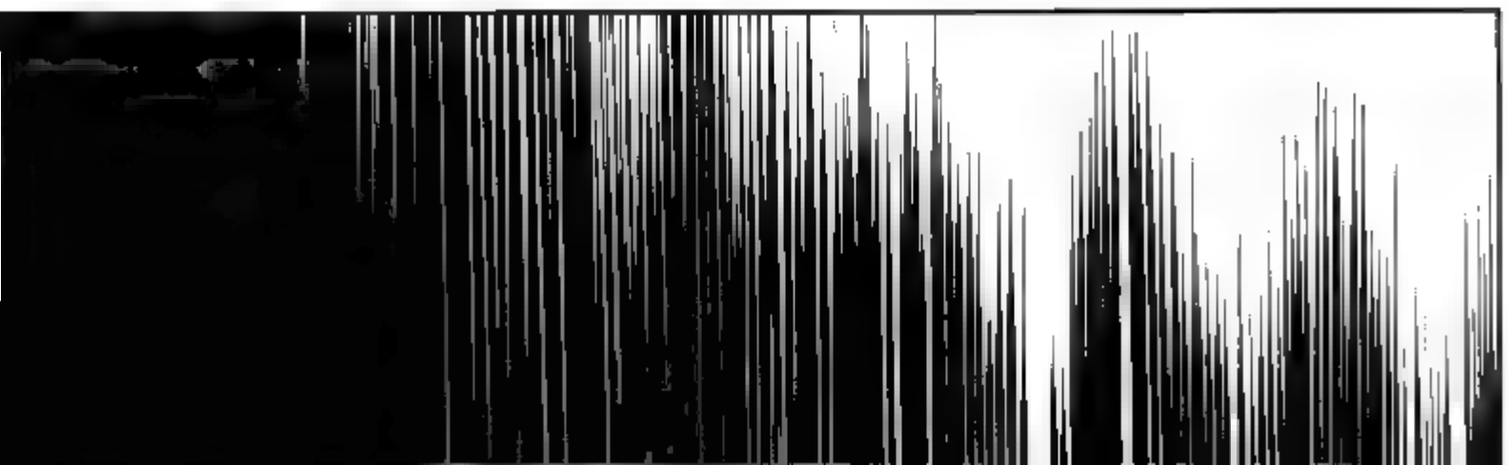
IT CAN'T BE...
IT'S THAT SHRINE!?
FATHER KNEW ALL ABOUT EVERY-THING
BUT HE PRETENDED NOT TO KNOW ABOUT THE RITUAL.

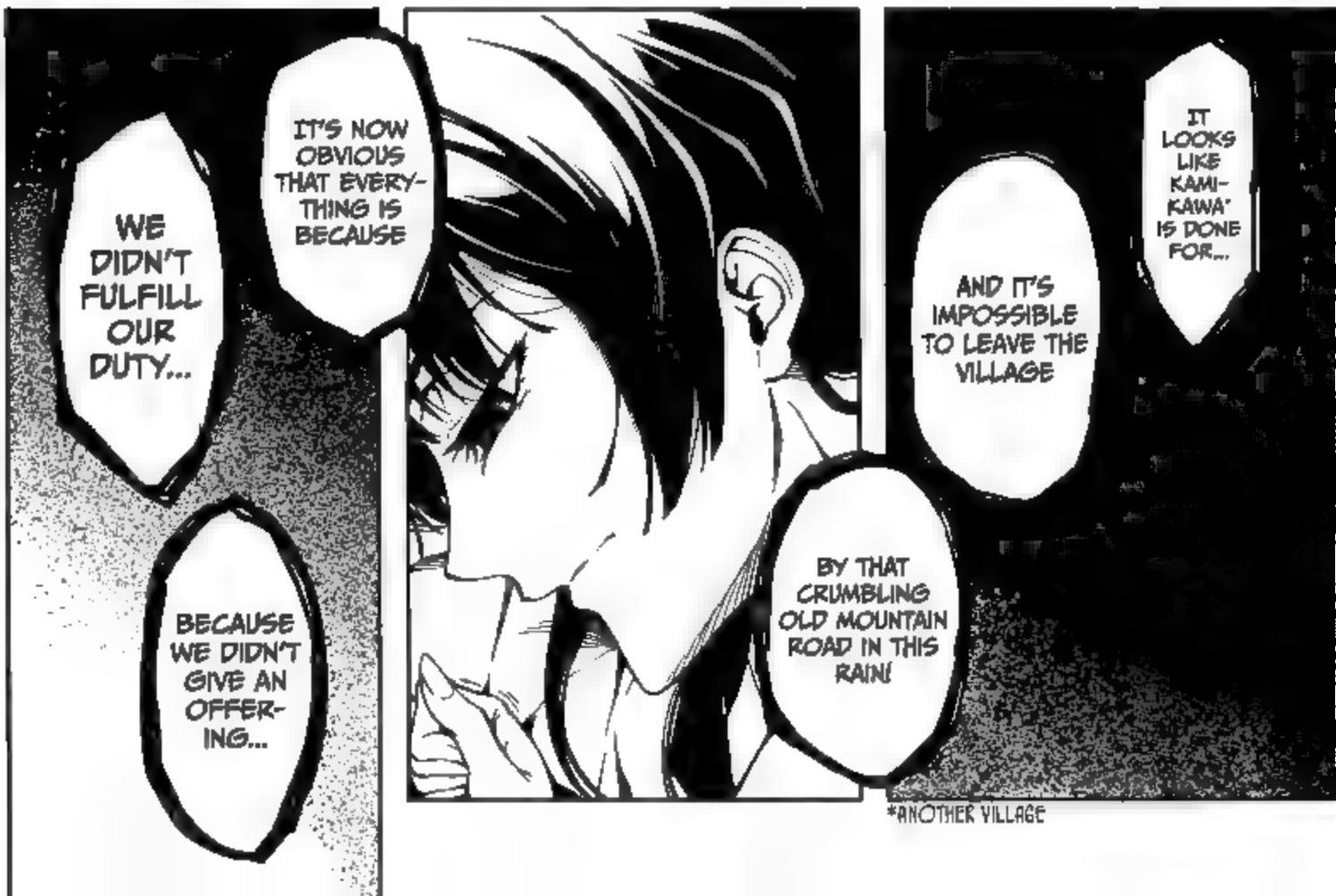
HE DIDN'T DO ANYTHING EVEN THOUGH HE KNEW EVERY-THING!
AND THAT WAS BECAUSE HE WAS TOO AFRAID TO FULFILL HIS DUTY!!
EVERY-THING THAT'S HAPPENING TO THE VILLAGE RIGHT NOW IS BECAUSE OF THE CURSE!
IT'S NOT TOO LATE FOR US TO FULFILL OUR DUTY NOW!!
STOP IT...
YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT I'M SAYING, DON'T YOU SISTER?
キュッ。

AS MEMBERS OF THE KANOE FAMILY
STOP IT...
WE HAVE TO!!

I...
WHAT HAVE I DONE...!?
!!

I'M SO SORRY...!
I'M SORRY!




IT LOOKS LIKE KAMI-KAWA* IS DONE FOR...
AND IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO LEAVE THE VILLAGE
BY THAT CRUMBLING OLD MOUNTAIN ROAD IN THIS RAIN!
IT'S NOW OBVIOUS THAT EVERY-THING IS BECAUSE
WE DIDN'T FULFILL OUR DUTY...
BECAUSE WE DIDN'T GIVE AN OFFER-ING...

*ANOTHER VILLAGE

WE HAVE TO CARRY OUT THE "AKAHITO" RITUAL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
BEFORE THINGS REACH THE POINT OF NO RETURN.
YOU UNDERSTAND NOW TOO, DON'T YOU
KANOE -SAN?
YOU HAVE TO OFFER...
WHAT'S IMPOR-TANT TO YOU...
ガラッ

WHEN I'M ALONE, I FEEL AFRAID AND UNEASY
AND I CAN'T FALL ASLEEP...
SISTER
MAY I SLEEP TOGETHER WITH YOU?
NOW, NOW.
YOU'RE SUCH A HELP-LESS CHILD.
...
COME OVER HERE.

...WILL BE AKA-HITO...
THE SACRI-FICE...
WHICH ONE OF THE DAUGH-TERS...
WE HAVE TO OFFER A PURE SACRI-FICE...
WHICH ONE IS MOST SUIT-ABLE...

How is Yukariko's decision connected to Yuuko's current situation!?

SISTER...

I WILL FULFILL OUR DUTY.

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This month we have a special chapter!!
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SCHOOL'S FINALLY OVER!
...
The Day Teiichi-kun Never Came
I WISH TEIICHI -KUN
WOULD GET HERE SOON...
MOMOE-EEEEEE!!

I THOUGHT SHE'D BE HERE CAUSE SHE ISN'T AT THE NEWSPAPER CLUB.
THEY MUST BE HERE LOOKING FOR HER...
SHE ISN'T HERE, SO YOU GUYS SHOULD JUST GO AWAY ALREADY.
WELL, LET'S GET A MOVE ON THEN.
OH, THERE'S NO ONE HERE...
WAIT!
MOMOE SAID THAT
YUUKO -SAN IS IN THIS ROOM!
EEH ...
LET'S FIND HER!

MAYBE SHE'S HERE!?
SHE PROBABLY ISN'T...
WHAT ABOUT HERE!?
SHE PROBABLY ISN'T THERE EITHER...
!!?
SO YOU'RE THERE ARE
I DON'T THINK SHE'S...
BUG NET
NO.
AH...
I'm sorry...
I'm sorry...

NIIYA -SAAAN!
ガラッ
Sahara -senpai!
WELL, WE MIGHT AS WELL GET SOME PHOTOS OF THE CLUBROOM WHILE WE'RE HERE AT LEAST!
ずりっ
WE MIGHT EVEN GET SOME GHOST PHOTOS!
HUH? HE'S NOT HERE...
EVEN THOUGH I THOUGHT WE'D INTERVIEW HIM FOR A NEWSPAPER ARTICLE...

NOT! THERE'S NO WAY THAT COULD HAPPEN.
See! There's nothing there.
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パシャ
HN!!?
?
MOMOE -CHAN! TH-TH-THIS IS A HUGE SCOOP!!
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!?
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パシャ

WHY ARE YOU LOOKING SO TIRED?
Haa...
A BUNCH OF THINGS HAPPENED...
.....
WHY DON'T I GIVE YOU A SHOULDER MASSAGE?
EH, WHAT!?

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NOT LONG AGO YOU DIDN'T EVEN WANT TO LOOK ME IN THE EYE, AND NOW YOU'RE DOING THIS FOR ME...
...WHAT WAS THAT?
IT WAS NOTHING.
YOU'RE QUITE GOOD AT THIS, AREN'T YOU?
IT'S JUST A SHOULDER MASSAGE.

JUST LIKE MY GRANDMOTHER.
WHEN WE'RE LIKE THIS
YOU SEEM

The distance between them grew, but their hearts moved closer. It was a day like that ♡

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In front of the school with Yuuko

THEY SAY THERE'S A GOD THAT LIVES ON THIS MOUNTAIN.
I WONDER IF WE'LL BE ABLE TO MEET THEM?
THE SISTER'S MEMORIES...
SISTER... WAIT UP...
I'M SCARED...
I CAN'T WALK ANY FURTHER...
ISN'T THAT WHY I SAID YOU SHOULDN'T FOLLOW ME?
WAIT UP...

AH...
YUKARIKO?
YUKARIKO..?

YOU FOOLISH CHILD!!
YOU'RE LUCKY THAT SOMEONE WAS PASSING BY AND FOUND YOU!
I'VE TOLD YOU A MILLION TIMES THAT YOU ARE NOT TO GO UP THAT HILL!
YES...
THIS HAPPENED BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T FOLLOW THE RULES!
DO YOU UNDER-STAND!?
AS A MEMBER OF THE KANOE FAMILY, IT IS YOUR DUTY TO FOLLOW THESE RULES!
YES...

YOU'RE A SMART GIRL, YUUKO.
YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'VE DONE WRONG DON'T YOU?
YES...
THIS HAPPENED BECAUSE I DIDN'T FOLLOW THE RULES...
THAT'S RIGHT... BUT WHAT'S EVEN MORE IMPORTANT IS THAT
YOU HAVE TO LOOK AFTER YUKARIKO MORE CAREFULLY.
YOU'RE HER BIG SISTER AFTER ALL.

Okay!

I WONDER WHERE HE'S HEADING TO DRESSED UP ALL FORMALLY
AT THIS KIND OF TIME?

YES... I UNDER-STAND
FATHER.

SOMETHING URGENT MUST HAVE COME UP.
.....

SISTER... MAY I HELP YOU COMB YOUR HAIR?
?

SURE.
PLEASE DO.

I HAD A REALLY NOSTALGIC DREAM THIS MORNING.
WAS IT ABOUT SOMETHING THAT HAPPENED IN THE PAST?

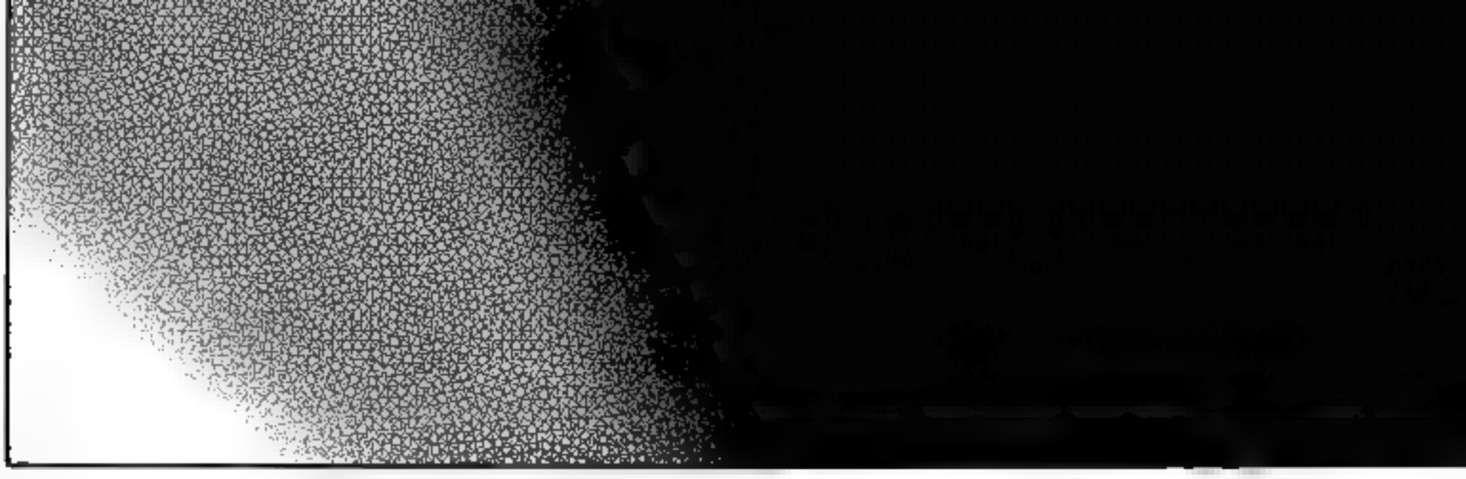
I WONDER WHY I DREAMT OF SOMETHING FROM SO LONG AGO?
GRANDFATHER GAVE ME A REAL SCOLDING AFTER THAT...
BACK WHEN WE WERE STILL LITTLE...
DO YOU REMEMBER HOW YOU TRIPPED AND FELL ON THE MOUNTAIN OUT BACK?

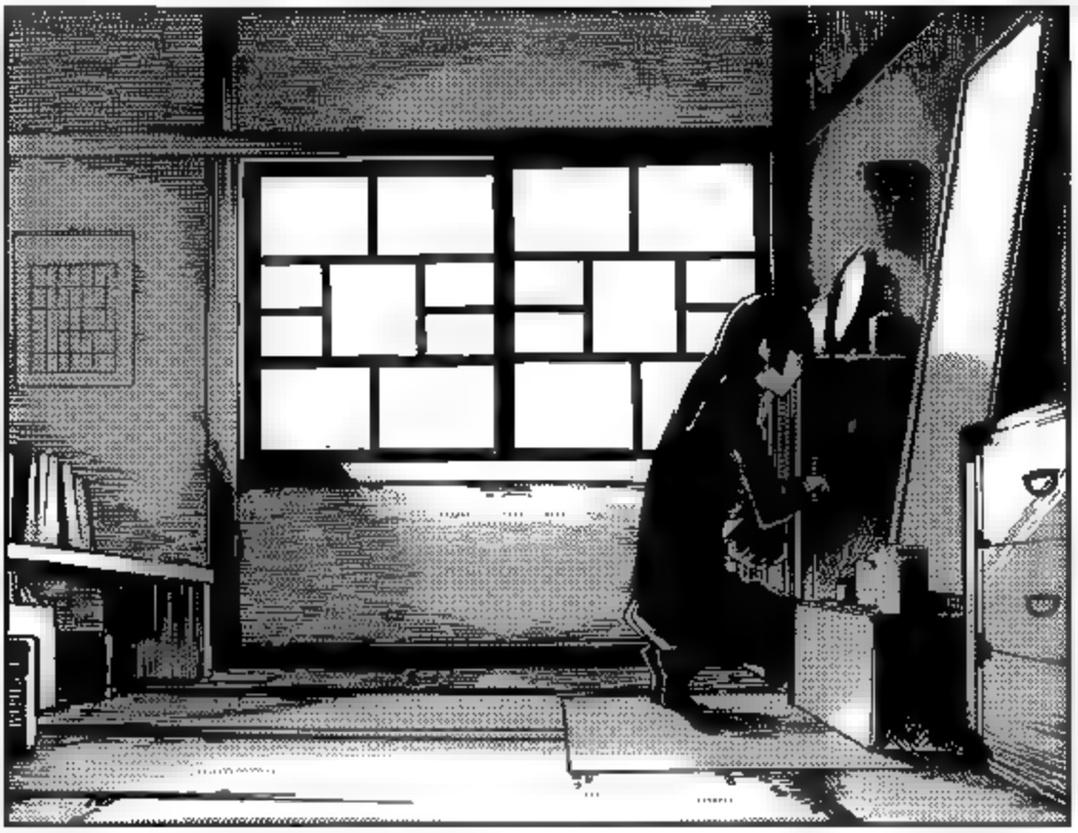
WELL I AM YOUR BIG SISTER AFTER ALL.
WHEN THAT HAPPENED YOU DESPERATELY TRIED TO SAVE ME.

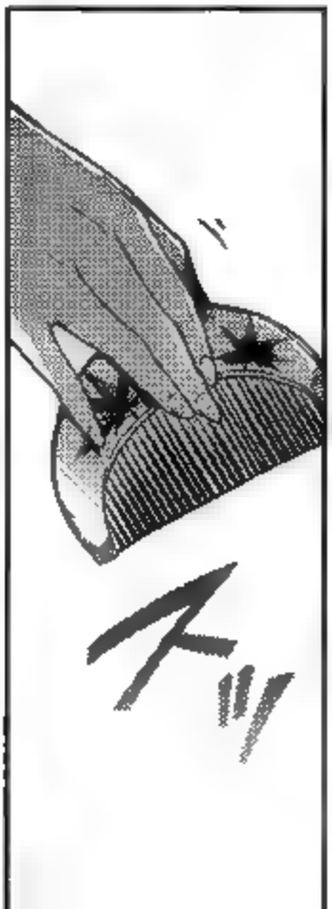
EVEN NOW...
I'VE ALWAYS LOVED YOU, SISTER.
YOU WERE ALWAYS THERE TO COMFORT ME WHEN I WAS SCARED.
AND IN GOOD TIMES, YOU WOULD ALWAYS MAKE THINGS MORE FUN.
THAT WASN'T THE ONLY TIME EITHER.
YOU'RE ALWAYS SO KIND AND RIGHTEOUS...

SISTER
SISTER, WHAT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IN THIS WORLD TO YOU?
WHAT'S WRONG? YOU'RE ASKING STRANGE THINGS.
IT'S YOU OF COURSE
MY PRECIOUS LITTLE SISTER.

YOU'RE
THE MOST PRECIOUS THING IN THE WORLD TO ME AS WELL, SISTER.



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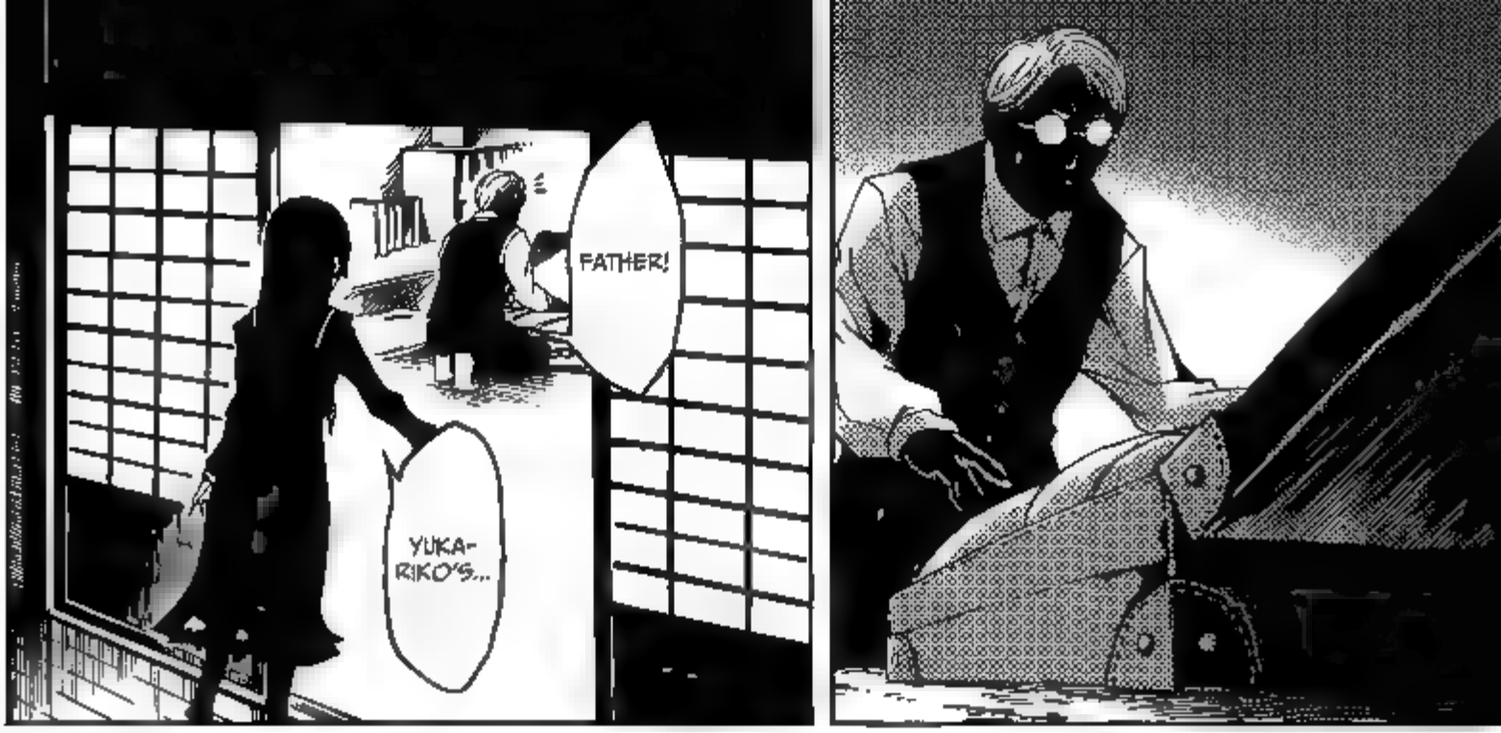
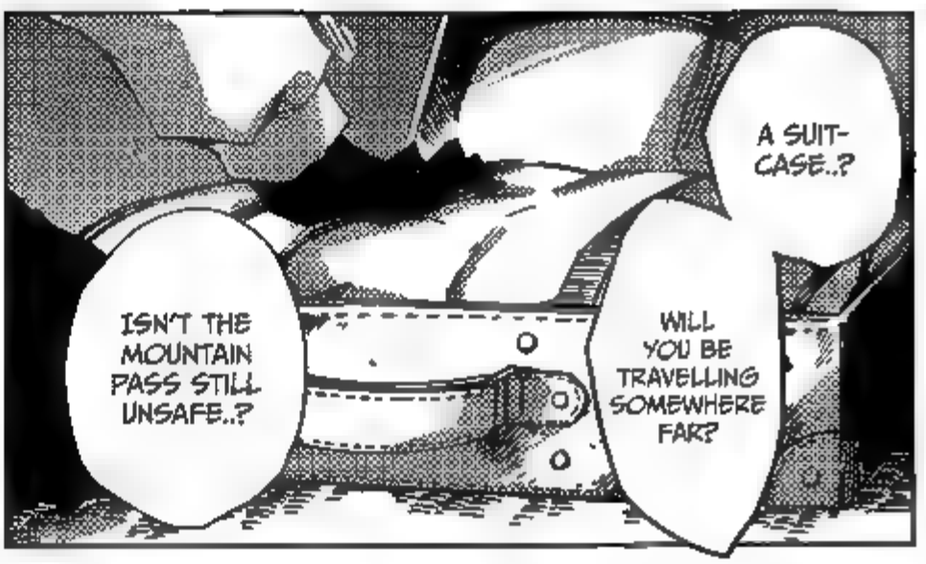
SHE FORGOT
TO TAKE THIS WITH HER...





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YOU'RE A GOOD GIRL, YUUKO.
YOU ALWAYS KNOW WHAT THE RIGHT THING TO DO IS.
BUT MOST PEOPLE AREN'T LIKE THAT.
THINGS COULD BECOME DANGEROUS HERE...
SO I WAS THINKING OF LEAVING THE VILLAGE FOR A WHILE.
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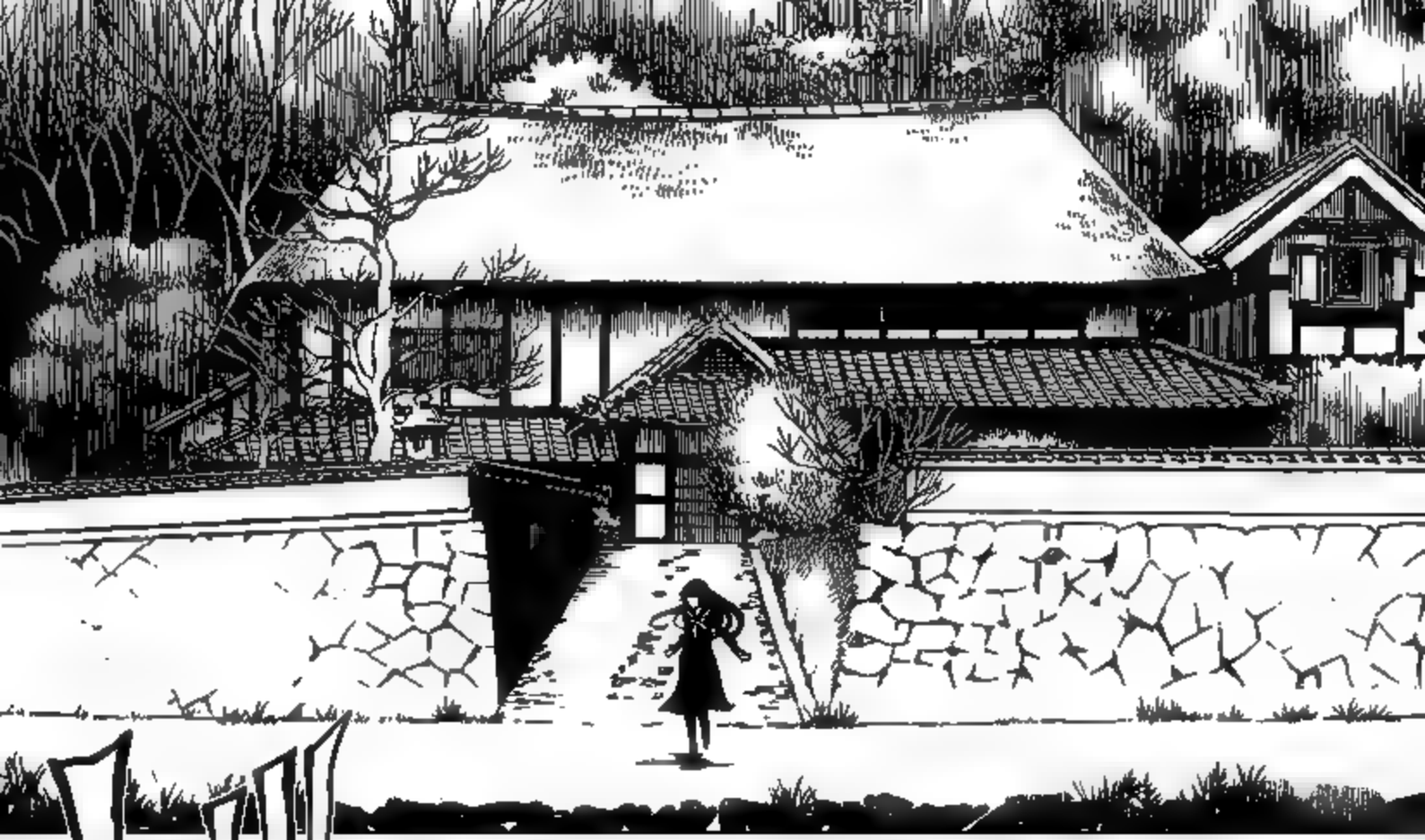
I'M GOING TO GO FIND YUKARIKO!
WAIT! YUUKO!!



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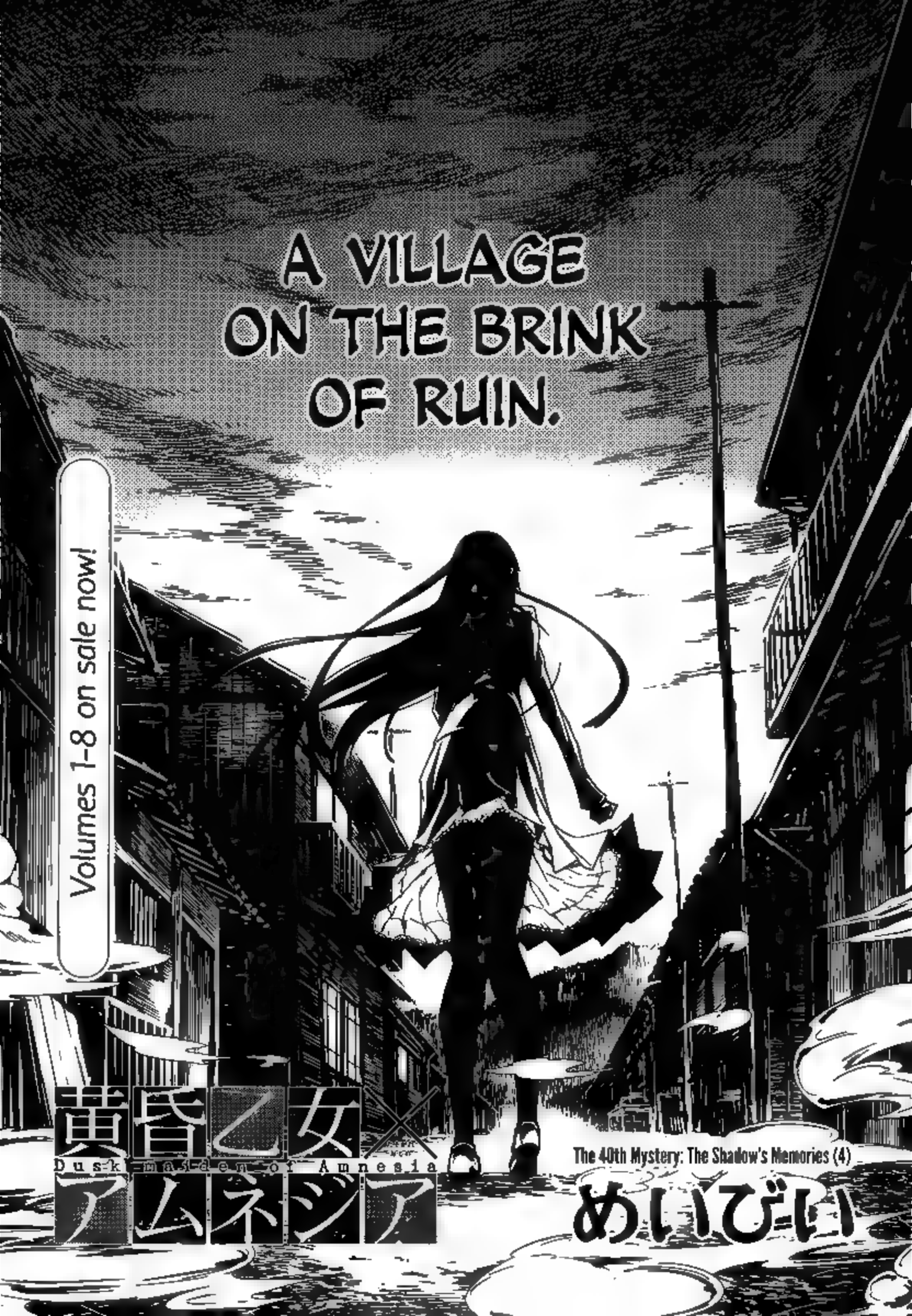
HOW CAN YOU BE ALL RIGHT WITH THINGS LIKE THIS, SISTER?
What does Yukariko's disappearance mean...!?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Yuuko searches frantically for the missing Yukariko!

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EXCUSE ME...

EXCUSE ME, BUT...
HAVE YOU SEEN MY SIS...

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NOBODY LIVES THERE ANY MORE.

THE PLAGUE... MOTHER'S DEATH...
IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF THE CURSE!

THE CURSE... IS ALL BECAUSE WE DIDN'T TAKE RESPONSIBILITY.

THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO REMOVE THE CURSE.
AND THAT IS TO OFFER ONE'S MOST PRECIOUS THING TO AKAHITO -SAMA.
THAT IS— ONE'S OWN LIFE.

OUR ROLE...
AS MEMBERS OF THE KANOE FAMILY...
YUKARIKO INTENDS TO SACRIFICE HERSELF.
YUKA-RIKO...
YUKARI-KOOO!!

I HAVE TO...
PROTECT YUKARIKO!!

YUKARIKO
...?

NOOO
THE CALAMITY BEFALLING THE VILLAGE
THE VILLAGERS WAITING EARNESTLY FOR AKAHITO
THE TALES OF HUMAN SACRIFICES
A RIGHTEOUS AND BEAUTIFUL SACRIFICE
THE KANOE FAMILY'S DUTY

I COULD SEE IT
ALL THE PIECES OF THE PUZZLE HAD FALLEN INTO PLACE.
NOW... AKAHITO -SAMA!
SO THE ANSWER THAT I HAD TO CHOOSE WAS
WHY!?
YUKA-RIKO!
KANOE YUUKO
IS THE OFFERING.

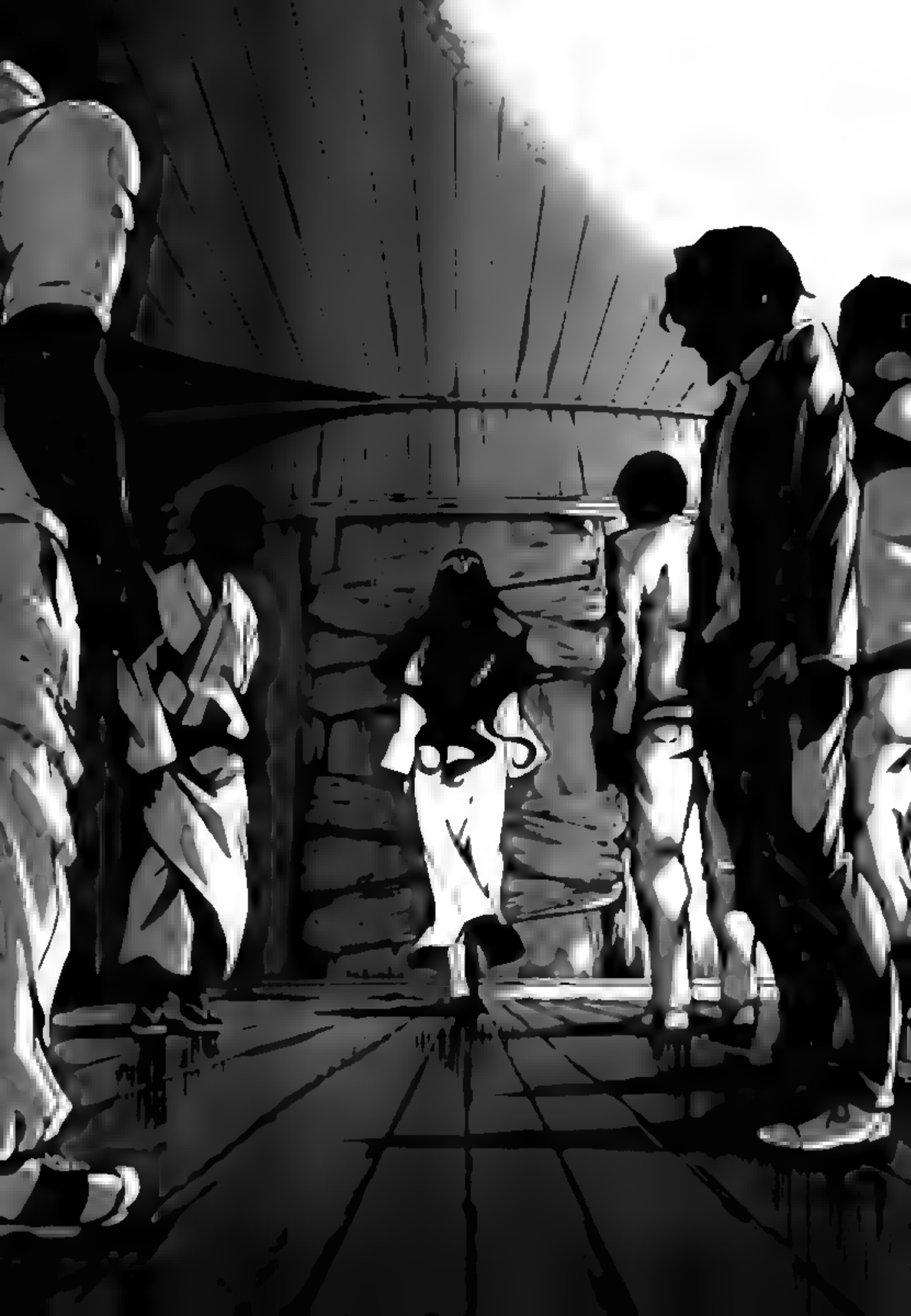
YUKARIKO!! WHY!!?
I BORE THE ROLE OF AKAHITO
AS THE FEAR-DRIVEN VILLAGERS WISHED.
BREAK HER LEGS SO SHE CAN'T ESCAPE!
BURY HER ALIVE!
MOST SUITABLE FOR THAT ROLE.
EVERYONE BELIEVED THAT SHE WAS THE ONE
TO BECOME A SACRIFICE AND SAVE THE VILLAGE.

I WOULD COMMIT THE CRIME.
AND SISTER
WOULD BECOME ETERNITY, NEVER HAVING TO SUFFER THE PLAGUE
OR SHARE THESE HATEFUL FEELINGS.

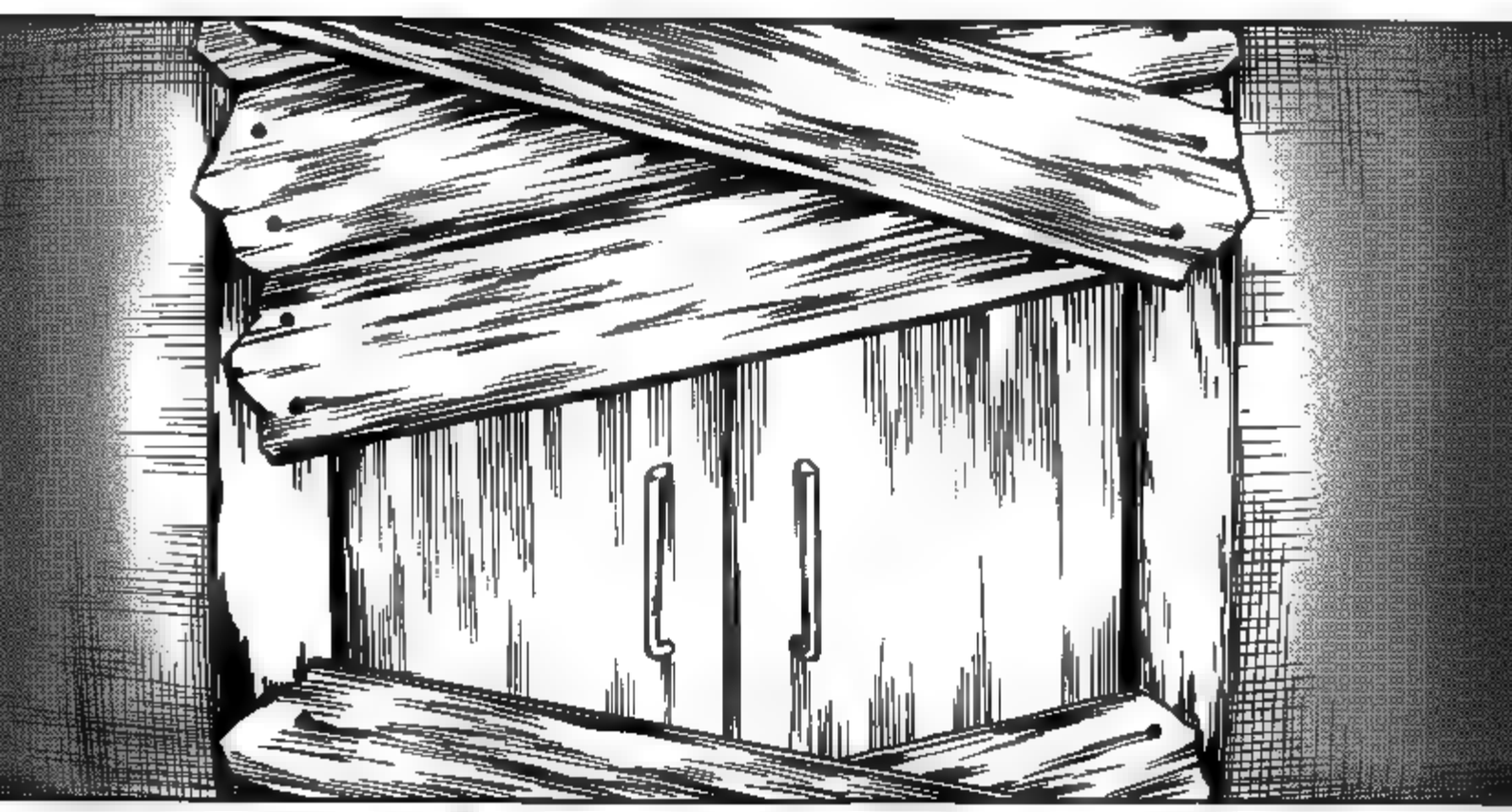
THAT'S... WHAT I BELIEVED.
AAAA
YUKA... RIKO ...?
.....

HURRY UP AND CLOSE IT OFF.
NOO... STOP!!
WHY!!? YUKARIKO!!!
DIDN'T YOU...!?
YOU SAID THAT I WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING TO YOU...

I DECIDED ON THIS... BECAUSE YOU'RE IMPORTANT TO ME...



ALL THAT REMAINED WAS THE TRUTH OF WHAT I HAD DONE.



THE GUILT OF OUR CRIMES SETTLED HEAVILY ON OUR SHOULDERS.
EVERY-ONE TURNED AWAY
AND LEFT.
BUT TO PROTECT THE LONG SOUGHT RELIEF WE HAD GAINED...
SHIVER

IT'S DONE.
IT'S TIME TO LEAVE, AKAHITO -SAMA.

BUT THERE WAS NO WAY A POORLY PERFORMED SHAM OF A RITUAL WITH SHADY ORIGINS
COULD HALT THE PROGRESS OF THE PLAGUE.
THE PEOPLE OF THE VILLAGE CONTINUED TO FALL VICTIM TO THE PLAGUE.
EVERYONE THAT TOOK PART IN THE RITUAL LOST THEIR MINDS AND PASSED AWAY, POSSIBLY TO THE PLAGUE.
BUT
IT WAS ALL FOR NAUGHT.
THERE WERE SOME WHO MADE MEMORIAL STONES IN THE HOPE THAT THIS WOULD SPARE THEIR LIVES.
慰霊碑
EVEN-TUALLY, EVEN FATHER
LOST THE WILL TO LIVE AFTER LOSING YUUKO
AND TOOK HIS OWN LIFE.

IT SEEMED ALMOST AS IF
YUUKO WAS CALLING EVERYONE TO HER
AND SO THEY LEFT THIS WORLD.

AT THE TIME
I WAS UNABLE TO BRING MYSELF TO FACE THE TRUTH OF WHAT I HAD DONE.
ALL I KNEW WAS THAT MY SISTER WAS NO LONGER HERE.
BUT AFTER WAKING UP FROM MY FOOLISH DREAM... ALL THAT REMAINED WAS THE PAIN AND REGRET.
YOU SAID THAT I WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING TO YOU, DIDN'T YOU?
I CHOSE THIS...
BECAUSE YOU WERE IMPORTANT.

WHY IS...
THIS HERE?

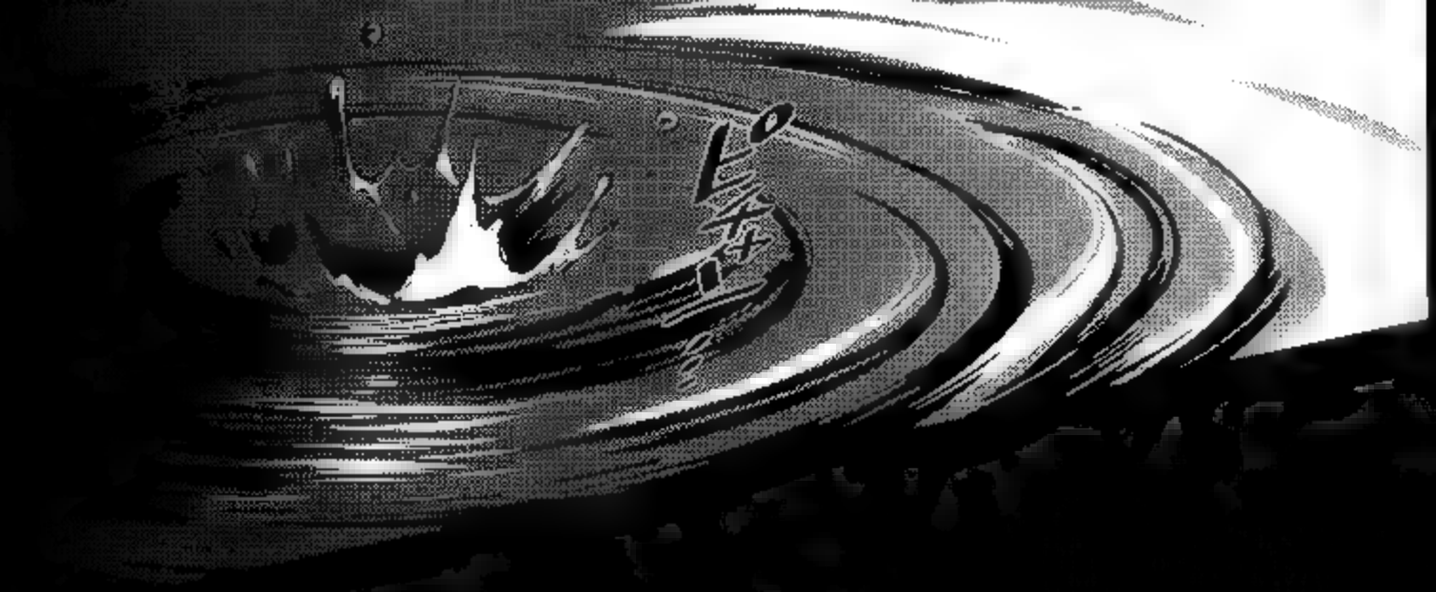
SIS-
TER...
SISTER
...!
SISTER
...

SISTER!!

KYA!!

GUH...
SISTER ...?
WHERE ARE YOU?

AH...
AH...
AH...
AHH...



HATE...

I HATE YOU!

HATE...
HATE...

HATE...

HATE...

HATE...

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ER...
PLEASE ...
TAKE ME AS WELL...

AA...
AA...
AAAH!
AAAA

SISTER ...?
WHY?
SISTER...
DIDN'T TAKE ME WITH HER.

THE OFFICIAL RECORDS SAY THAT YUUKO DIED OF THE PLAGUE
AND THAT HER BODY WAS DISPOSED OF THEREAFTER.

EVERYTHING CONCERNING THE RITUAL WAS COMPLETELY COVERED UP.
AND NOBODY WOULD LISTEN TO WHAT I SAID AS I WAS JUST A CHILD AT THE TIME.
EVERYTHING CONCERNING YUUKO WAS MADE TABOO IN THE VILLAGE
FROM JUST TALKING ABOUT HER, TO EVEN MOURNING FOR HER.
BECAME TABOO.
NO...
I, WHO WAS OF THE KANOE FAMILY AND ACTED AS AKAHITO
I SEALED EVERYTHING AWAY IN MY HEART
AND CONTINUED TO SILENTLY APOLOGIZE TO HER...
UNTIL THE DAY COMES WHERE SHE WILL FORGIVE ME.

BUT IN THE END, IT WAS ALL IN VAIN.
YUUKO NEVER FORGAVE ME.
THAT'S NOT TRUE...
THERE'S NO WAY THAT SHE STILL HATES YOU...
YOU SAW WHAT SHE LOOKED LIKE, DIDN'T YOU?
SHE HAS ALWAYS LOOKED LIKE THAT THROUGHOUT ALL THESE YEARS.
SHE HAS ALWAYS BEEN A BLACK SHADOW FILLED WITH HATRED.
BUT EVEN SO...
THERE'S NO NEED FOR YOU, WHO WAS JUST A CHILD BACK THEN, TO HAVE TO BEAR THE RESPONSIBLITY FOR EVERY-THING...!

NO MATTER WHAT REASONS OR EXCUSES I HAD, SHE WAS ALWAYS RIGHT.
I THOUGHT THAT I HAD NOW FINALLY BEEN ABLE TO BECOME A BIT LIKE HER.

THE OLD SCHOOL BUILDING WILL BE TORN DOWN, AND I WILL DEAL WITH YUUKO'S CORPSE.
SHE WAS A SACRIFICE. I'M SURE SHE WILL EVENTUALLY DISAPPEAR ONCE THE PLACE SHE'S BOUND TO IS GONE.
KIRIE
THAT IS THE ENTIRE TRUTH.
BUT MY ACTIONS BACK THEN CAN NEVER BE UNDONE...

IN THE END
I WAS NEVER ABLE TO SAVE HER.
The truth of Yuuko's past is just too cruel...
TO BE CONTINUED...

Yukariko shares her deep regret over the loss of her sister...

BUT THAT WILL NEVER HAPPEN.
THE HEARTS OF THOSE WHO ARE DEAD
WILL NEVER CHANGE.

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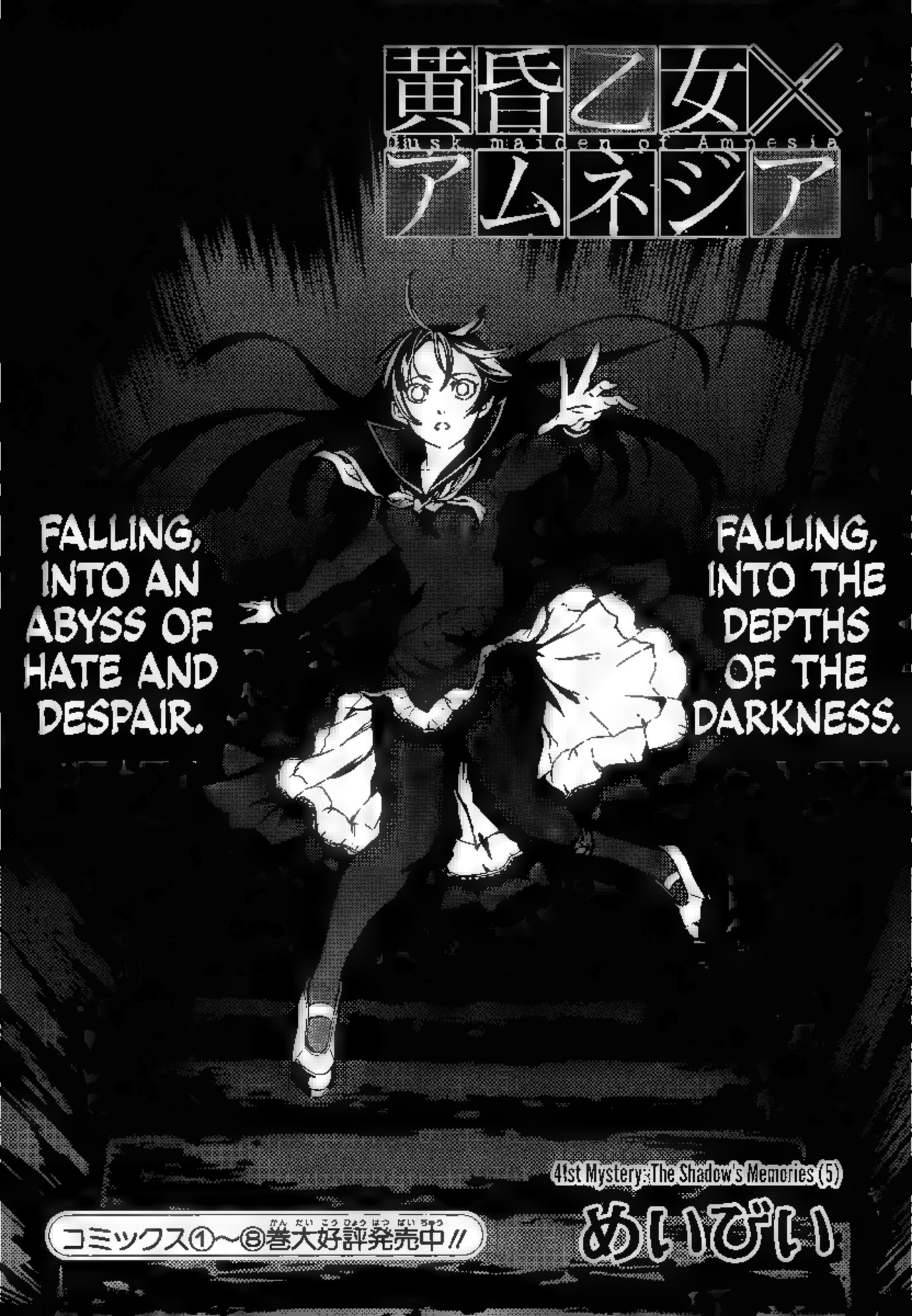

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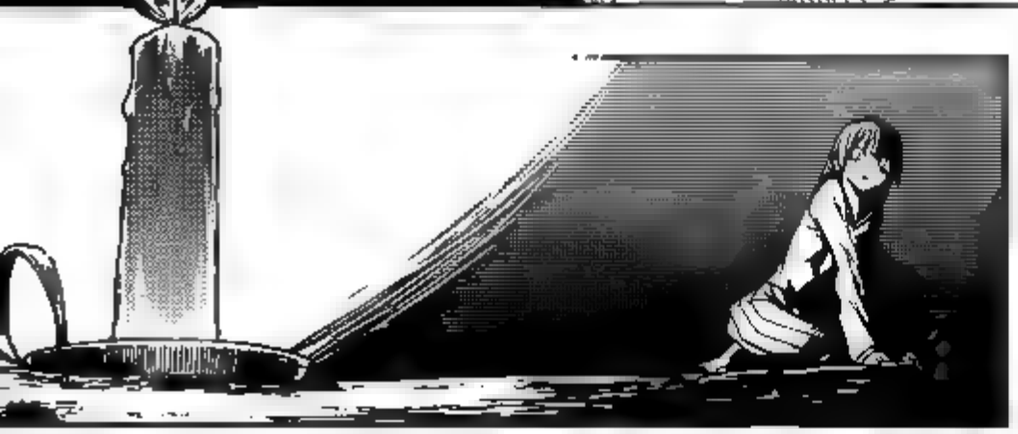
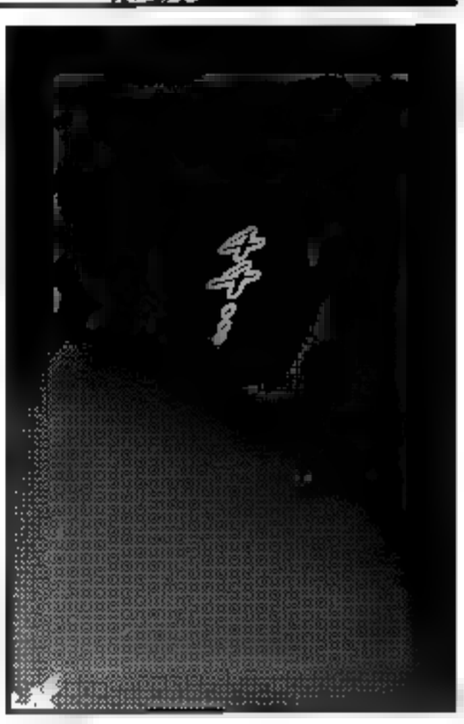
JUST STOP THIS ALREADY!
WHY WOULD YOU DO THIS!? YUKARIKO!!?
DIDN'T YOU SAY I WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING TO YOU...!?
YUKA-RIKO...

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NOOO OOOOO OOOOO OOOOO OOOOO OOOOO OOOOO OOO!!!!!
NO...
THIS CAN'T BE...!!

LET ME OUT!
LET ME OUT OF HERE!
SOME-BODY PLEASE...

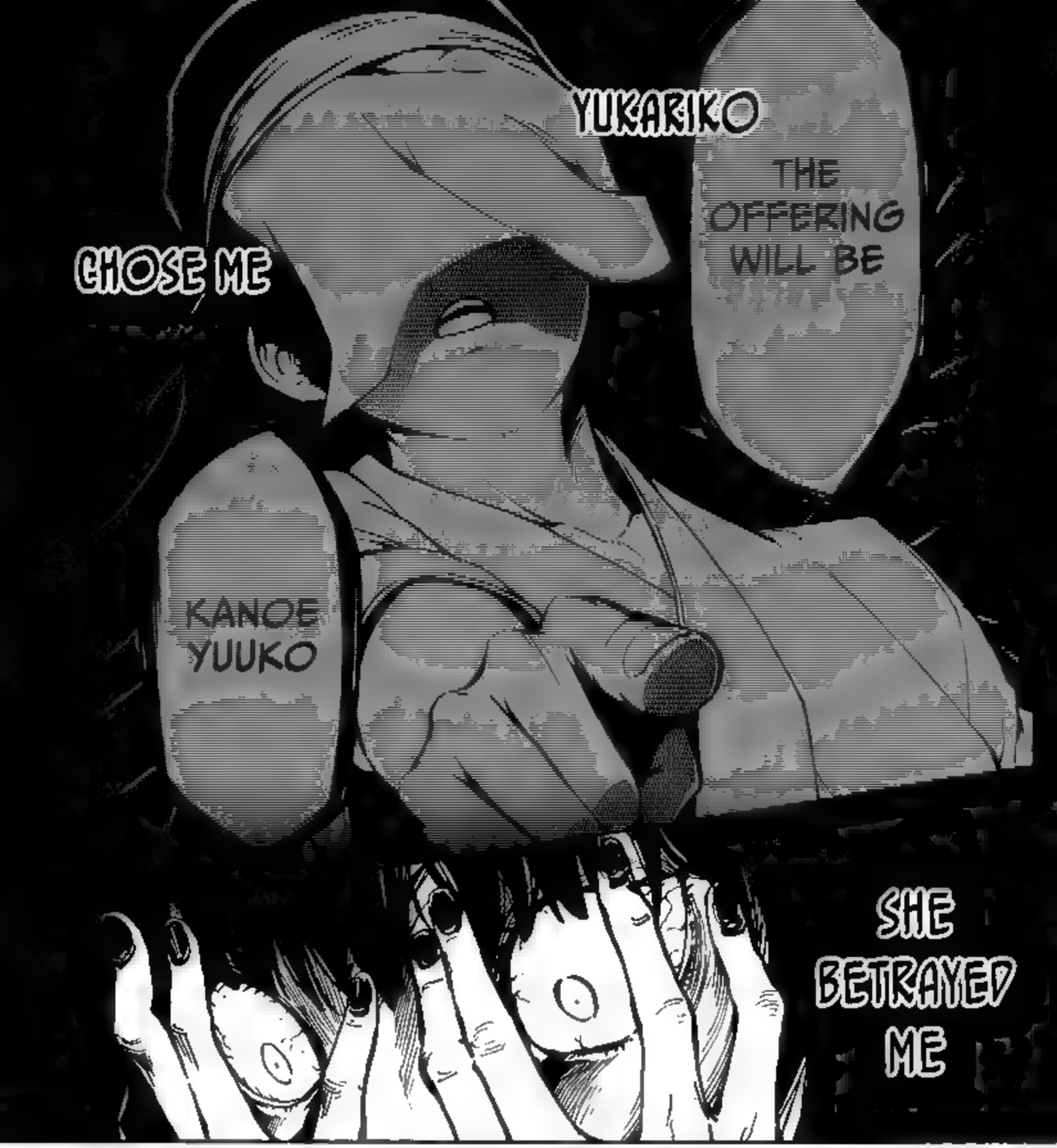
SOMEBODY...
ANYBODY...
JUST...
HELP ME
PLEASE...

SO COLD...

キュゥ…
SO HUNGRY...
WHY DID THIS HAVE TO HAPPEN TO ME?

NOBODY IN THE VILLAGE
DISLIKED ME.
I
WAS NICE TO EVERY-ONE.
I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING WRONG.
I ALWAYS DID AS I WAS TOLD.
I NEVER DID ANYTHING WRONG OR LET OTHERS DO WRONG.
I WAS ALWAYS RIGHT....!
THEY'RE THE ONES WHO ARE WRONG!

THEY STILL GOT ALL SCARED AND STARTED BELIEVING SOME STUPID BASELESS STORY...
EVEN THOUGH I TOLD THEM SO MANY TIMES...
THEY'RE ALL... JUST SO STUPID!
FOR PEOPLE LIKE THAT!?
WHY DO I HAVE TO DIE
WHY ME?
THERE WERE ANY OTHER NUMBER OF PEOPLE THEY COULD HAVE CHOSEN
THE OTHER PEOPLE... I SEE...
YUKA-RIKO.


YUKARIKO
THE OFFERING WILL BE
CHOSE ME
KANOE YUUKO
SHE BETRAYED ME

WHY!?
WAS IT SO SHE ALONE COULD BE SAVED?
WAS IT SO SHE DIDN'T HAVE TO BE SACRIFICED?
WAS IT BECAUSE I HIT HER THAT TIME?
WAS IT BECAUSE SHE HATED ME?

THIS IS UNFORGIVABLE.
ABSOLUTELY UNFORGIVABLE...
UNFORGIVABLE!
EVEN THOUGH I WAS TRYING TO SAVE HER UP TIL THE VERY END!
EVEN THOUGH SHE WAS SO PRECIOUS TO ME!

ALL FOR SOME-THING STUPID...
LIKE THIS.

YOU...
WANT MY LIFE, DON'T YOU?
I'LL GIVE IT TO YOU.
!!
SO...
PLEASE...

I'LL...
IF YOU CAN CARRY OUT THIS GRUDGE I HAVE THEN
I'LL...
HATE...

EVERYONE

KILL

YUKARIKO

IF ONLY THIS GRUDGE WOULD

KILL

RID MYSELF OF THESE FEELINGS?

HOW CAN I

THIS HATE...

THIS GRUDGE...

I HATE YUKARIKO WHO BETRAYED ME

I HATE EVERYONE THAT KILLED ME...

HATE...

WERE COVERED BY RAGE...
MY EYES AND EARS...
I'M SCARED....
MY PRECIOUS...
YUKARIKO.

EVEN THOUGH THIS GRUDGE WAS THE ONLY THING THAT TIED ME TO THIS WORLD
I STILL COULDN'T KILL HER.
BUT IN THE END, MY GRUDGE WAS NEVER FULFILLED.
EVERYONE ELSE THAT KILLED ME DIED FROM THE PLAGUE.
MY HEART WAS STILL FILLED WITH HATRED AND MY GRUDGE REMAINED UNFULFILLED...
NO MATTER HOW BRUTAL OR PAINFUL THEIR DEATH... NO MATTER HOW MUCH THEY CRIED OUT FOR FORGIVENESS... IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE.

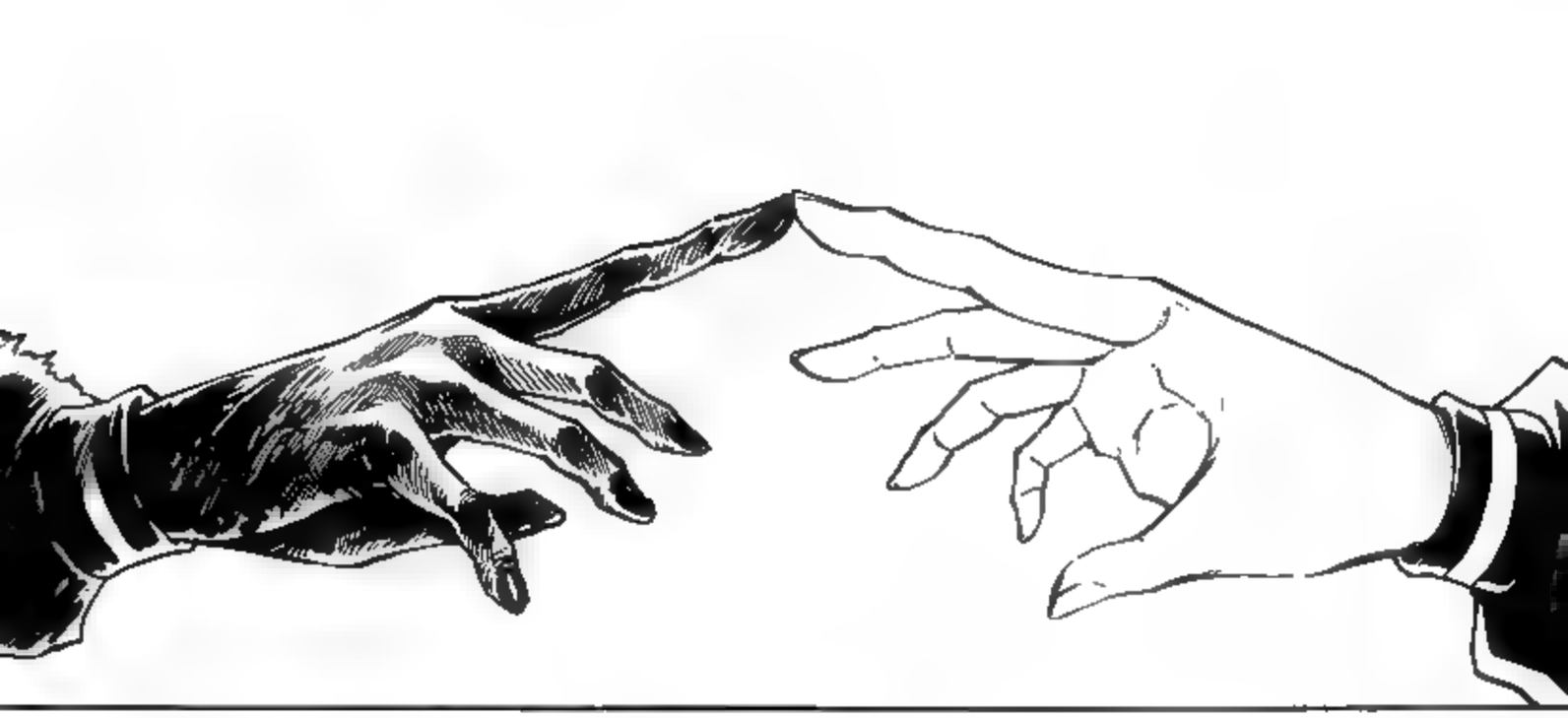
BEING CONSTANTLY CONTROLLED BY THESE DARK FEELINGS WAS SO PAINFUL.
I COULDN'T KEEP BURNING THE FLAME OF HATRED IN MY HEART FOREVER.
IN THE END, MY HEART WAS COMPLETELY BURNED OUT BY THOSE FLAMES.
LITTLE BY LITTLE
I THREW AWAY MY MEMORIES OF MY HATE.
I SUBCONSCIOULY TRIED TO PROTECT MY HEART...
DESPITE THE FACT THAT DOING SO WOULD ROB MY EXISTANCE OF ALL ITS MEANING.

I WAS SUPPOSED TO SPEND THE REST OF MY DAYS AT THIS SCHOOL LIKE THIS
JUST WAITING FOR THE END TO COME...

GOING UNNOTICED BY EVERYONE
ALL ALONE.

IN THE END, I BECAME AN EMPTY SOUL— UNABLE TO FEEL ANY-THING.

IS ANYONE HERE?
JUST KIDDING ...
?
AND AFTER THAT...



YES...
I'M ALRIGHT NOW.
CAN YOU ACCEPT IT NOW?
THIS GRUDGE?

THIS... IS WHO I AM.
I AM
JUST AN EVIL SPIRIT WHO COULDN'T FULFILL HER GRUDGE...

HATING WAS TOO PAINFUL FOR ME
SO I THREW AWAY MY MEMORIES.
I WANTED TO FORGET EVERYTHING.

YOU...
BUT... I...
MADE ME
MADE YOU
REMEMBER ALL THAT...
What is their reaction to this dark past that has been revealed...?
TO BE CONTINUED...

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THEN... WHAT WAS THE POINT OF ALL THAT I'VE DONE...!?

SHE WAS THE ONE THAT WANTED TO FORGET IN THE FIRST PLACE...

AND I THOUGHT, THAT BY REMEMBERING HER PAST... SHE WOULD BE ABLE TO GRANT HER WISH...

I THOUGHT THAT I WAS READY TO ACCEPT HER PAST NO MATTER WHAT IT HELD...
I THOUGHT THAT IF YUUKO-SAN WAS READY TO REMEMBER
THEN I WOULD BE THERE TO SUPPORT HER,

BUT
IT WASN'T THAT YUUKO-SAN COULDN'T FULFILL HER WISH BECAUSE SHE FORGOT EVERYTHING...
FORGETTING WAS HER WISH ITSELF...

YES...
THAT WAS MY WISH.
MY HATE CAUSED ME SO MUCH PAIN
AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO
AS LONG AS I REMAIN IN THIS WORLD.

THEN...
ARE YOU JUST GOING TO FORGET EVERYTHING AGAIN?
WON'T YOU JUST BE GOING BACK TO HOW YOU WERE?
BEFORE YOU WERE SPLIT INTO TWO...
BACK TO WHEN YOU WERE HURTING THE MOST!?
IF I WERE TO FORGET EVERYTHING THAT HAS HAPPENED...
THEN I WOULD FORGET ALL ABOUT YOU AS WELL.
...!
BEING FORGOT-TEN REALLY HURTS, DOESN'T IT...?

BUT YOU'RE NOT THE ONLY ONE THAT FEELS THAT WAY.
I NOW
UNDERSTAND THAT PAIN AS WELL.
I WON'T FORGET AGAIN.
I WON'T PUSH ALL MY MEMORIES ONTO HER AGAIN.

BUT IF YOU CAN'T CLEAR YOUR GRUDGE...
AND YOU CAN'T FORGET...
THEN WHAT ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO DO?? WON'T YOU JUST BE IN PAIN AGAIN!?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN...?
IF IT'S ME NOW
I'LL BE ABLE TO DO WHAT I COULDN'T DO BACK THEN.
NO.

BACK THEN
I COULDN'T FORGIVE THEM...
FORGIVE THEM...?

IT'S ALL THANKS TO YOU
TEIICHI -KUN.
BECAUSE YOU GAVE ME THE COURAGE TO ACCEPT MY PAST.

I DIDN'T EVEN CARE ABOUT MY PAST OR MY GRUDGE.
I JUST KEPT AVOIDING THE ISSUE.
BUT I NOW UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING
AFTER MEETING YOU, AND REMEMBERING EVERYTHING THAT HAD HAPPENED.
I NOW UNDER-STAND
THE REASON FOR ALL THESE MISTAKES.
YUKA-RIKO'S PAIN,
THE VILLAGERS' FEAR
AND SADNESS,
I UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING.

I DIDN'T ACCEPT THEIR FEAR AND UNEASE.
I TRIED TO CLEAR THOSE THOUGHTS AWAY FROM THEIR MINDS... BUT IN THE END I JUST ENDED UP CORNERING THEM EVEN MORE.
IT WAS BECAUSE OF MY ARRO-GANCE.

YOU HAVE EVERY RIGHT TO HATE THEM!
YOU WEREN'T MISTAKEN AT ALL!!

TRUE AT ALL!!
I DON'T THINK THAT THAT'S

THANK YOU.

I COULDN'T FORGIVE THEM.
THEIR FEAR,
THEIR MALICE,
THEIR STUPID BELIEF,
AND MY OWN HATRED.
I COULDN'T FORGIVE ALL THE UGLY FEELINGS BORN FROM
THE WEAK-NESS OF THE HUMAN HEART.

BUT
I MET YOU
AND SAW SO MANY DIFFERENT NEW PEOPLE WHILE WE INVESTIGATED THE SEVEN MYSTERIES.
I CAME TO KNOW
THE WEAKNESS OF THE HUMAN HEART.
AND WE HELPED THEM GROW TO OVERCOME IT.
AFTER ALL I'VE SEEN...
WOULD IT BE RIGHT FOR ME TO DENY THAT DESIRE?
THE DESIRE TO CLING TO THINGS THAT DON'T EXIST?

WHAT I NEEDED
WAS TO REMEMBER
THE OLD ME.

I'LL NO LONGER HATE THE WEAKNESS IN PEOPLE'S HEARTS.
I'LL NO LONGER HATE YUKARIKO...
I WON'T HATE ANYONE ANY MORE...

YUUKO -SAN...?
.....
DO YOU REMEMBER...
WHAT I SAID TO YOU WHEN WE FIRST MET?
THAT I HAD NOTHING.
NEITHER HATE NOR LONGING.
AND THAT WHEN MY WISH HAS BEEN FULFILLED
I WILL DISAPPEAR FROM THIS WORLD.
WHAT I SAID
WAS TRUE.

BE-
CAUSE
I'M A
GHOST.
NO...
YOU
CAN'T-

YUUKO
-SAN!!!

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NO...
I CAN'T DO THIS, I DON'T WANT TO BE ALONE!

YUUKO
-SAN...

NIIYA!!
...!
NIIYA!!
YOU'RE ALRIGHT...

I NEVER THOUGHT
THAT THIS WOULD HAPPEN...
YOUR FAMILY CALLED THE SCHOOL...
AND SAID THAT YOU HADN'T BEEN HOME FOR THREE DAYS...
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YUUKO...
SAN...
Yuuko finally disappears from this world...
TO BE CONTINUED...